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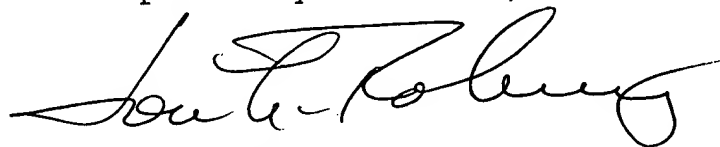
Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find the following:

1. Specification, abstract and claims (4 independent, 17 dependent, 21 total) (17 pages);
2. Informal drawings (6 figures, 6 sheets);
3. Declaration and Power of Attorney;
4. Assignment with Recordation Sheet;
5. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status - Independent Inventor;
6. Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status - Small Business Concern;
7. One check in the amount of \$468.00 (\$380.00 for filing application, \$40.00 for filing assignment document, \$39.00 for excess independent claim and \$9.00 for excess claims); and,
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Respectfully submitted,



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I hereby certify that the patent application of Charles J. Stouffer and David C. Bugby for a **HIGH TEMPERATURE ISOSTATIC PRESSURE BONDING OF HOLLOW BERYLLIUM PRESSURE VESSELS USING A BONDING FLANGE** including the specification, abstract, and claims (4 independent, 17 dependent, 21 total) (17 pages); informal drawings (6 figures, 6 sheets); declaration and power of attorney; an assignment together with a recordation cover sheet; Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status - Small Business Concern; Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity status - Independent Inventor; and a check in the amount of \$468.00 (\$380.00 for filing application, \$40.00 for filing assignment document, \$39.00 for excess independent claim and \$9.00 for excess claims), are being deposited with the United States Postal Service for "Express Mail" service under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated above and are addressed to the Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Patent Application, Washington, D.C. 20231.



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